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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.27(g)(2), the above-referenced patent is no longer entitled to small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,

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